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# Workflow Assignment 2

### General / Tips

Setup ArcGIS Environment Follow the steps outlined in the document Lab Fundamentals in LMS to set up your project environment.

File Save

Save your work often as the ArcPro app can crash, especially when working with large files.

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Refer to document GEOM20013\_A2\_Description for the description and assessment details for this assignment.

#### Task 1

#### Raw Data Folder

# Beginning the exercise - Adding SA2 layer for state of Victoria

Make sure you have copied the contents of zipped files into your Data folder as stated in Lab Fundamentals, and un-zipped the folder

Adding First Layer

In ArcPro > Insert tab > New Map. Once the map loads, go back Add Data in the Map tab.

Add the layer SA2\_2016\_AUST from your Data folder. New Map.

SA2 stands for Statistical Area Level 2. Refer to the description file for further details.

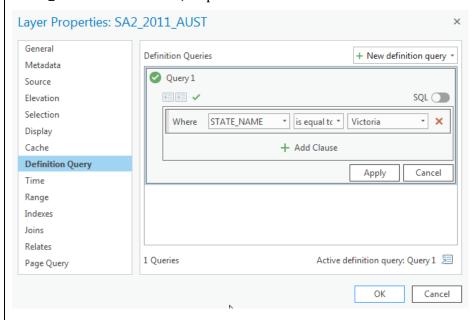
Selecting an Area of Interest

Filter your dataset to just show Victoria.

Right click SA2\_2016\_AUST layer in the left-hand content pane, Click **Properties** > click **Definition Query** 

Click **Add Clause**, Query will be:

"STE\_NAME" = 'Victoria', as per below:



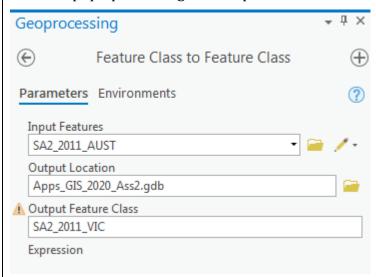
Click Add then OK, you should now only see Victorian SA2 areas.

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Saving SA2s of Victoria

In Table of Contents on the left, right click on SA2\_2016\_AUST layer, *Data > Export Features* 

This will pop up in the right-hand pane.



Save in your data in the project Geodatabase, this will come up as the default location

Name the feature SA2\_2016\_VIC

Because you applied the definition query on the layer it will only export Victorian SA2 areas.

## Task 2 Choosing data to analyse

Additional raw data is needed for analysis. One good source is the Census Datapacks from the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS). <a href="https://datapacks.censusdata.abs.gov.au/datapacks/">https://datapacks.censusdata.abs.gov.au/datapacks/</a>

One of the datapacks is provided for you in LMS – **2016\_TSP\_SA2\_for\_Vic\_short-header.zip** 

Remember to extract this archived zip file before using.

2016 Census GCP Statistical Area 2 for VIC This folder contains the important raw data from the 2006, 2011, and 2016 Census.

Metadata

Readme

This folder contains important information regarding how to interpret and choose the files you require. Open the files in this folder and try to understand what you are dealing with before you proceed.

2016\_TSP\_Sequential\_Template.xlsx is a very useful reference file.

Additional technical information regarding the files and regions in the Datapack.

Choose your CSV file

Once you understand what you are dealing with, pick the type of information you would like to work with in this assignment and its

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corresponding CSV file. Feel free to edit and remove any unnecessary columns in the CSV if you like, but remember to save it as a CSV file once you are done.

For this example as stated in the description pdf file, we will be using information related to *Person Characteristics*, file 2016Census\_T01\_VIC\_SA2.csv

#### Task 3

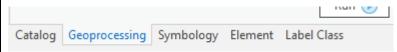
# Converting SA2 area codes from numeric to text field

Back to ArcPro

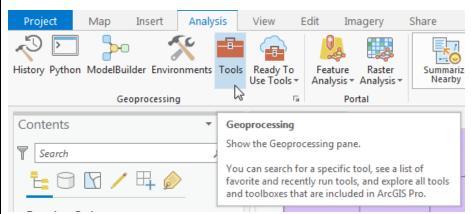
Open your ArcPro assignment 2 project from the above Task 1.

You will need to add the census data you need into your Geodatabase to be used with the SA2 spatial layer.

In bottom of the right-hand pane click geoprocessing.



If it is not there go to the top ribbon and clcik **Analysis** and then click **Tools** 



Then the geoprocessing will show up on the right hand pane.

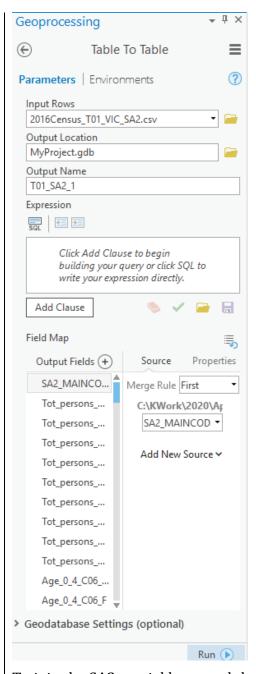
Bringing in CSV data

In the geoprocessing search box, search for the **Table to Table** tool.

Select your CSV with the census data

Select your project Geodatabase

Choose output table name and click Run to produce the table



Convert Region\_ID to Text

To join the SA2 spatial layer and the table data, both tables need a Unique ID to join on.

In the SA2 spatial layer this is called SA2\_MAIN

In the table it's called **SA2\_MAINCODE** 

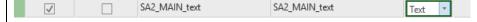
Right click the census data table and click open

On the top left of the table click Add (next to Field:)

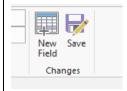


This will list all the fields (attributes), we can see here the SA2 MAINCODE is numeric

Add a new field at the bottom called **SA2\_MAIN\_text**, type TEXT



### Click Save up the top



Close the fields editor (click X on top of fields table)

Calculating new field

Go back to your table data (e.g. T01\_SA2\_1)

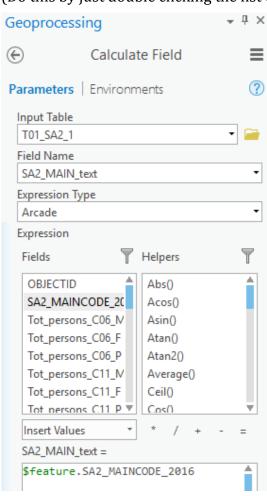
On the top of the data click Calculate Calculate

A new tool will pop up in the right-hand pane

Choose the Field Name to be **SA2\_MAIN\_text** 

Choose the SA2\_MAIN\_text = value to be *\$feature.SA2\_MAINCODE* 

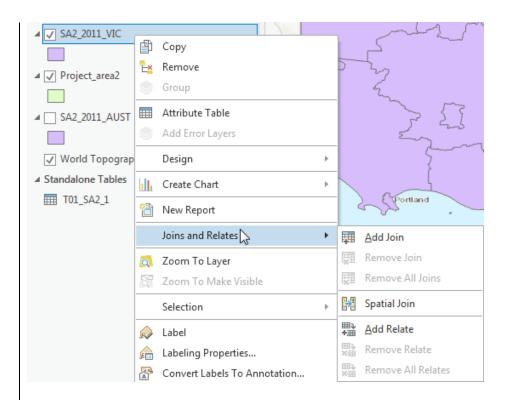
(Do this by just double clicking the list of fields)



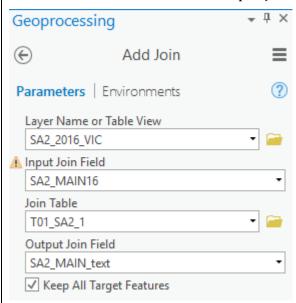
This will then populate the **SA2\_MAIN\_text** column with the SA2\_MAINCODE's but of type text, new column will be at very right of table

Joining Layers

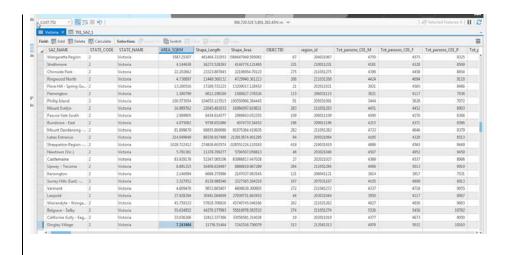
Right click on the  $SA2_2016\_VIC$  spatial layer > Click joins and relates > Add Join



Choose SA2\_MAIN as the spatial layer Field Choose SA2\_MAIN\_text as the Output join field



If you look at the SA2\_2016\_VIC layers attrribute table (right click layer > Attribute table) you will see all the census data there



#### Task 4

# Calculating statistics for the trend in each SA2 area

**Deciding on Trend** 

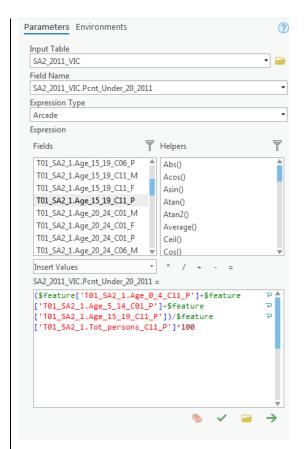
Head to the SA2\_2016\_VIC layer, add a new field and then do field calculate field to calculate what trend you want to show (e,g. percent of people under 20, more useful than just showing the raw number of people under 20). Do this for each census year, 2006, 2011 and 2016..

New Columns for Trend

For this exercise's example, we use the Percentage of people under the age of 20, for 2006, 2011 and 2016. To achieve this, 3 new fields (3 columns) for each year's % will be created.

Make a new field in your SA2\_2016\_VIC spatial layer, call it **Pcnt\_Under\_20\_2011** or something relevant, click Save at the top

Then on your spatial layer, calculate field, select your new field and then compute percent of people under 20 for 2011 for each SA2 region



The equation should look like:

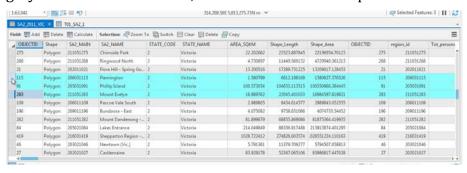
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($feature[T01_SA2_1.Age_0_4_C11_P']+$feature[T01_SA2_1.Age_5_14_C01_P']+$feature[T01_SA2_1.Age_15_19_C11_P'])
/$feature[T01_SA2_1.Tot_persons_C11_P']*100
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The above step is repeated for 2006 and 2016.

# Task 5 Choosing Level 2 Statistical Areas (SA2)

As mentioned in the lab description pdf file, you are required to choose three SA2 areas for this assignment. You will be using the joined layer from the previous Task 4 – **SA2\_2016\_VIC**.

Choosing Project Area: Select by Attributes **Option 1:** Select from the attribute table. Right click on the SA2\_Vic layer on *Table of Contents,* click on Attribute Table. Then select the SA2s of your choice for the project area, by clicking on grey box at start of the row, hold Ctrl to select multiple rows.

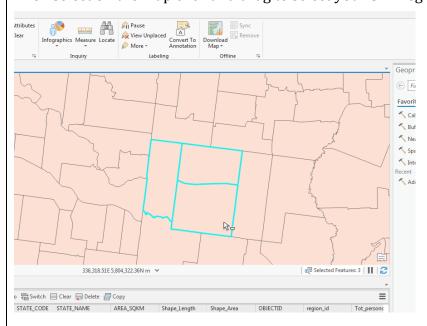


Choosing Project Area: Select on Map **Option 2:** Selecting spatially from layer. Have only the SA2\_Vic layer visible (only SA2\_2016\_Vic layer should be checked in *Table of Contents*).

Go to the top ribbon, make sure it is on Map, then click **Select** 

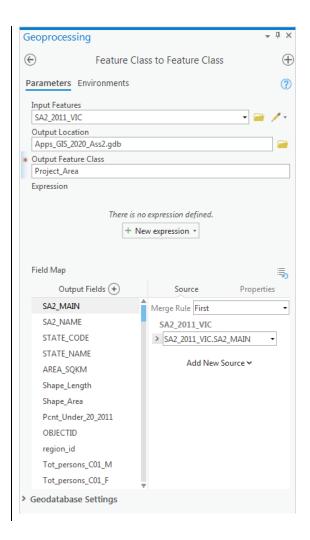


Then select on the map click and drag to select your SA2 regions



**Exporting Project Area** 

Right click on the SA2\_Vic layer and then *Data > Export Data*. Save in your default project geodatabase.

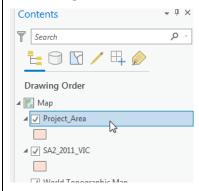


#### Task 6

### **Symbology**

Labelling Layer Info

To label your SA2s with your trend value, percentage, or population etc. Click on the layer you want to label, in the left contents pane.



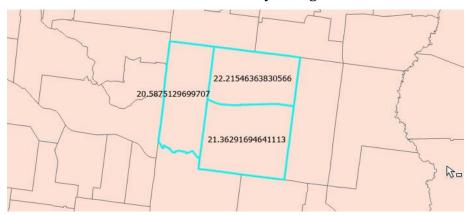
Then in the top ribbon click Labelling

Choose the field you want to label (e.g the Percent of people under 20) you just calculated.



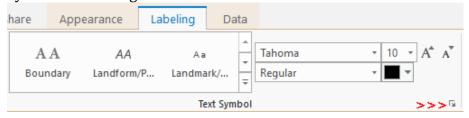
Then click Label

Your areas will then be labelled with your figures.



But it will look better with only 2 decimal places and the percent symbol, because it is a percent value.

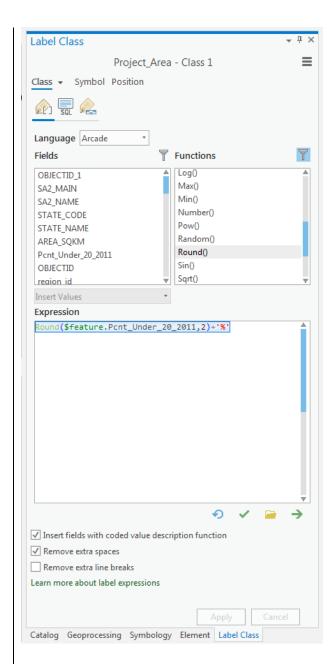
On the right-hand pane, down the bottom, click Label Class. If this is missing, select the expand button at the bottom right of Text Symbol in Labeling tab.



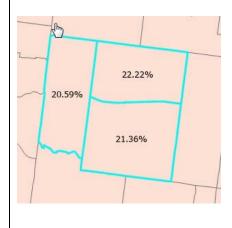
Then you can round the number with the round command and add the percent symbol on the end with the following code:

Round(\$feature.Pcnt\_Under\_20\_2011,2)+'%'

Then click Apply



# Then it will be labelled as a percent

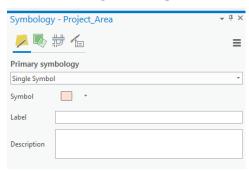


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Colour Scale Symbology To display a range of colours to represent a scale, eg. your trend, percentage, population density etc.

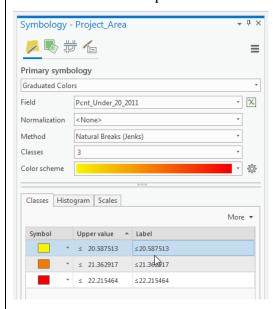
Right-click on your Project layer in the left-hand contents and select Symbology.

Then in the right-hand pane, the following settings will appear.

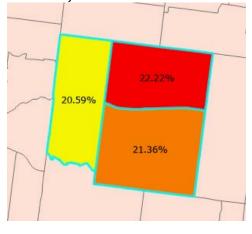


Then choose Graduated Colours, Choose your Field you want to symbolise (the same one you labeled)

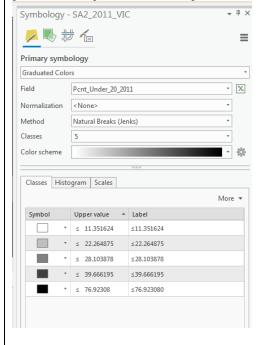
And choose a colour palette

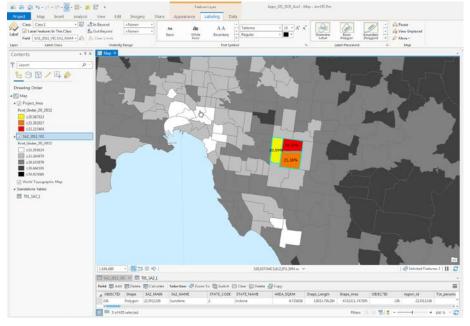


Your Project Area will then be coloured



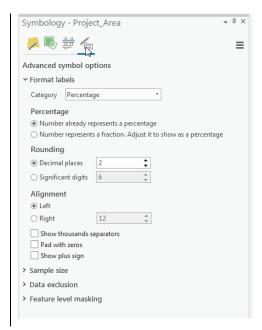
Then colour the rest of the state with the same attribute but different colour. Choose your SA2\_2016\_VIC layer in the left-hand pane and repeat the same process with a different colour.





Formatting the legend

You may also want only 2 decimal places and the percent symbol in the legend (the left-hand pane). Go to the symbology of the layer where this is, then click on the symbol editing options. Click Format labels.



Change the category to percentage and 2 decimal places. Then the legend will show that.

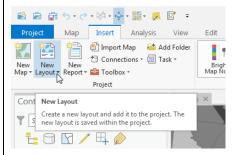


### Task 8

### **Creating Maps**

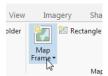
**Presenting Maps** 

Click insert on the top ribbon and click new layout.



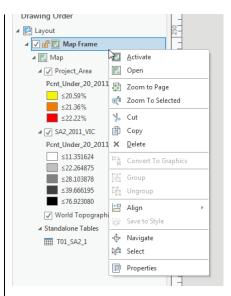
Can choose any size, (A3 landscape suggested for Victoria)

Click new Map Frame to insert your map.



Tip: Use *Zoom-in*, *Zoom-out*, *Pan*, *Zoom to Extents* to manage the scale and extent of your map.

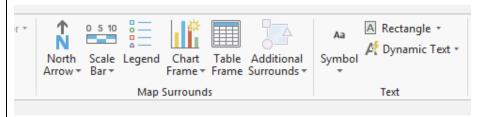
To change the scale of your map (zoom on the data) you need to right click the map frame in the left-hand pane and click Activate.



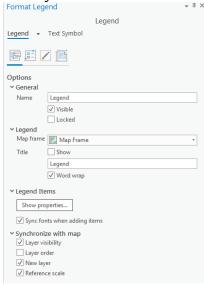
To finalise the scale, you need to go to the top and click, Layout then Close Activation.



*Insert* from the top menu to implement BOLTS – Border, Orientation, Legend, Title, and Scale.



Elements like the Legend can be editted in the right-hand pane when you double-click on them in the map frame.



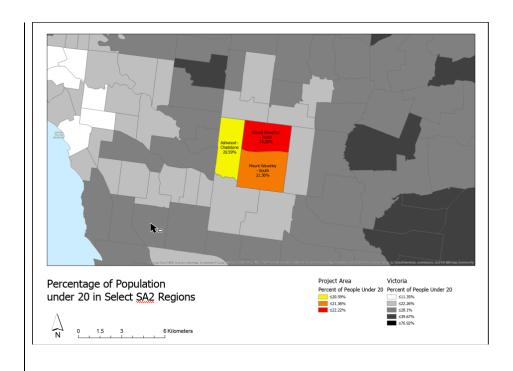
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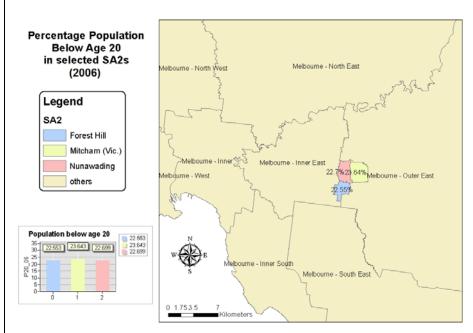
This will give you a good start for the assignment and is the minimum you are required to do. You should look at presenting one or more trends with good symbology and perhaps show some comparisons for the rest of Victoria or Melbourne.

Play around with the layer properties, symbology, display, labels etc. for good representation. Try and present your infrastructure and services in a meaningful way for you to make better recommendations to the local and state governments. If you cannot find spatial data relevant to your trend, try and find documentation about your SA2 and the services and infrastructure they have, even non-spatial data, so you can discuss it in your report.

The main map to create is that of your trend. You should aim to present **choropleth maps** similar to this, showing your trend for each year, or the change between the years, or even three different maps for 2006, 2011 and 2016.

Some examples:





Remember to save your work often!

**Essential Reading** 

http://wiki.gis.com/wiki/index.php/Choropleth map